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**Antiterrorism and Emergency Assistance Program for Terrorism and Mass Violence Crimes** <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ovc/fund/pdfxt/antiterrorapplication.pdf>

OVC developed this Application to assist applicants seeking financial assistance, training, and technical assistance. This program has been designed to provide timely assistance to jurisdictions to address victim needs in the **aftermath** of an act of terrorism or mass violence.

**Application Deadline:** open.

**Eligibility Requirements:** Applicants eligible for funding includes state victim assistance and victim compensation programs; public agencies including federal, state, and local governments; and victim service and nongovernmental organizations.

**Maximum Award Amount:** case by case basis.

**Number of Awards Made:** n/a.

**Grant Period:** negotiable.

**Sexual Assault Response Team (SART) Toolkit Cooperative Agreement**

<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ovc/fund/dakit.htm>

The purpose is to develop, pilot test, and disseminate a state-of-the-art technical assistance toolkit that will provide communities with information and resources to assist them in developing and administering a SART in their community.

**GMS Application Deadline:** May 6, 2004

**Application Deadline:** May 20, 2004

**Eligibility Requirements:** Eligible applicants are private, nonprofit organizations; public agencies, including units of state, local, and tribal governments; and colleges or universities that have a knowledge and understanding of sexual assault victimization issues; expertise in conducting national-scope information searches; and extensive knowledge of multidisciplinary collaboration. Applicants must also demonstrate their organizational capacity to successfully complete all phases of this project. Stronger consideration will be given to organizations that propose to hire a program manager specifically for this project rather than giving existing personnel the adjunct duty of project director responsibilities.

**Maximum Award Amount:** \$150,000.

**Number of Awards:** One

**Grant Period:** 15-18 months.

**Action Partnerships With Membership and Professional Organizations Cooperative Agreement** <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ovc/fund/pdfxt/ActionPartnership.pdf>

The purpose of the cooperative agreement is to create partnerships between OVC and National-scope professional and membership organizations to advance victims' rights and services through training and public awareness and education efforts.

**GMS Application Deadline:** June 1, 2004, 8 p.m. EST

**Application Deadline:** June 10, 2004, 8 p.m. EST

**Eligibility Requirements:** Applicants must represent a national nonprofit membership, professional, or affiliation group, and must demonstrate the financial and organizational capacity to manage this project. Applicants must demonstrate a unique capability and strong desire to reach and serve victims of crime through a project that is national in scope. Local chapters of such membership, professional, or affiliation-based groups may

apply, but must document a close partnership with their national office to support the national scope of project activities, deliverables, and their dissemination.

**Maximum Award Amount:** \$50,000

**Number of Awards:** Made: 5

**Grant Period:** 12 to 18 months.

## **U.S. Department of Homeland Security**

<http://www.dhs.gov/dhspublic/>

### **Fiscal Year 2004 Competitive Training Grants Program**

[http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/docs/fy04ctg\\_odp.pdf](http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/docs/fy04ctg_odp.pdf)

The Office for Domestic Preparedness (ODP) is accepting applications for the Fiscal Year 2004 Competitive Training Grants Program. This program will provide funding for training initiatives that further ODP's mission of preparing the nation to prevent, deter, respond to and recover from incidents of terrorism involving weapons of mass destruction (WMD).

**Application Deadline:** June 1, 2004

**Eligibility Requirements:** Entities eligible to receive funding under this program include: national associations representing public safety agencies and institutions of higher education, institutions of higher education, private corporations working in conjunction with the nonprofit sector, and nonprofit organizations.

**Number of Awards:** The number of awards will be determined by the number, quality, and requested funding levels of the applications received.

**Grant Period:** 24 months

## **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services**

<http://www.os.dhhs.gov/>

### **Youth Transition into the Workplace Grants**

[http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/2004/nofa/sp04006nofa\\_YIW.pdf](http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/2004/nofa/sp04006nofa_YIW.pdf)

The grants can be used to document and evaluate innovative practices that provide addiction prevention and early intervention programs for employees ages 16 to 24.

**Application Deadline:** May 27, 2004

**Eligibility Requirements:** Eligible applicants are domestic public and private for-profit and nonprofit entities, including State, local or tribal governments; public or private universities and colleges; community- and faith-based organizations; and tribal organizations.

**Number of Awards Made:** It is expected that \$2.0 million will be available to fund approximately 13 Phase I awards only in FY 2004. Phase I awards will be up to \$150,000 in total costs (direct and indirect) per year for up to 2 years. Phase II awards (which are expected to begin in FY 2006) will be for up to \$500,000 in total costs (direct and indirect) per year for up to 3 years. Awards for combined Phase I and II grants may not exceed 5 years. Proposed budgets cannot exceed \$150,000 in any year for Phase I or \$500,000 in any year for Phase II. The actual amount available for the awards may vary, depending on unanticipated program requirements and the number and quality of the applications received.

## **Development of Comprehensive Drug/Alcohol and Mental Health Treatment Systems for Persons Who are Homeless**

[http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/2004/nofa/ti04001nofa\\_homeless.pdf](http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/2004/nofa/ti04001nofa_homeless.pdf)

The purpose of Treatment for Homeless grants is to enable communities to expand and strengthen their treatment services for homeless individuals with substance abuse disorders, mental illness, or with co-occurring substance abuse disorders and mental illness.

**Application Deadline:** May 28, 2004

**Eligibility Requirements:** Eligibility is restricted by statute to community-based public and private nonprofit entities. These entities include county governments, city or township governments, Federally recognized Native American tribal governments, tribal organizations, community-based nonprofit organizations (including faith-based organizations), and community-based State entities, such as State colleges, universities and hospitals, that propose to provide services under this announcement to the community. States are not eligible to apply under this statute. Current Treatment for Homeless grantees are not eligible to apply under this funding announcement unless their grant ends in September 2004.

**Maximum Award Amount:** \$400,000 in total costs (direct and indirect) per year for up to 5 years

**Number of Awards Made:** 35

## **Residential Treatment for Pregnant and Postpartum Women and Residential Treatment for Women and Their Children**

<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-6375.htm>

The purpose of these grants is to expand the availability of comprehensive, high quality residential substance abuse treatment services for low-income women, age 18 and over, who are pregnant, postpartum (the period after childbirth up to 12 months), or other parenting women, and their minor children, age 17 and under, who have limited access to quality health services.

**Application Deadline:** June 2, 2004

**Eligibility Requirements:** State, local or tribal governments; public or private universities and colleges; community- and faith-based organizations; and tribal organizations may apply.

**Maximum Award Amount:** The maximum allowable award is \$500,000 in total costs per year for up to three years.

**Number of Awards:** 14

**Grant Period:** 3 years

## **Substance Abuse Treatment and Reentry Services to Sentenced Juveniles and Young Adult Offenders Returning to the Community from the Correctional System Grant**

[http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants/2004/nofa/ti04002rfa\\_yorp.htm](http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants/2004/nofa/ti04002rfa_yorp.htm)

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration announces the availability of fiscal year 2004 grants to expand and/or enhance substance abuse treatment and related reentry services in agencies currently providing supervision of and services to sentenced juvenile and young adult offenders returning to the community from incarceration for criminal/juvenile offenses. Applicants are expected to form stakeholder partnerships that will plan, develop and provide community-based substance abuse treatment and related reentry services for the targeted populations. Because reentry transition must begin in the correctional or juvenile facility before release, funding may be used for limited activities in institutional correctional settings in addition to the expected community-based services.

**Application Deadline:** June 15, 2004

**Eligibility Requirements:** Eligible applicants are domestic public and private nonprofit entities. For example, State, local or tribal governments; public or private universities and colleges; courts; community-and faith-based organizations; and tribal organizations may apply. The statutory authority for this program prohibits grants to for-profit organizations. While units of government may apply, they may not submit “pass through,” “umbrella,” or “cover letter” applications. This means that as the applicant, a unit of government, must take an active role in the oversight of the project, coordinate with the treatment services providers, and be legally, fiscally, and administratively responsible for the grant.

**Maximum Award Amount:** The average annual award will range from \$300,000 to \$500,000 in total costs.

**Number of Awards Made:** 12-14

**Grant Period:** Awards may be requested for up to 4 years

## **Office of Community Oriented Policing Service**

**COPS in Schools (CIS) Grant Program** <http://www.cops.usdoj.gov/default.asp?Item=240>.

The Department of Justice’s Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) announced the availability of the COPS in Schools (CIS) grant program, which assists law enforcement agencies in hiring new, additional School Resource Officers (SROs) to engage in community policing in and around primary and secondary schools. The program provides an incentive for law enforcement agencies to build collaborative partnerships with the school community and to use community-policing efforts to combat school violence. The SRO must devote at least 75% of their time to work in and around primary and secondary schools, in addition to the time that the officer's agency was devoting in the absence of the CIS grant.

**Application Deadline:** May 17, 2004

**Eligibility Requirements:** All state, local, tribal, and public law enforcement agencies, as well as jurisdictions serving special populations (e.g., university, public housing, and schools) that have primary law enforcement jurisdiction over a primary or secondary school are eligible to apply for a COPS in Schools grant.

**Maximum Award Amount:** Approximately \$60 million in FY 2004 grant funds are available. The CIS program provides a maximum federal contribution of \$125,000 per officer position over the three-year grant period, with any remaining costs to be paid with local funds.

## **Massachusetts Department of Public Health Bureau of Substance Abuse Services** <http://www.state.ma.us/dph/bsas/bsas.htm>

**Massachusetts’ Heroin and Other Opioids Comprehensive Environmental Planning and Implementation Grants**

[http://www.comm-pass.com/Comm-PASS/Scripts/xdoc\\_view.idc?doc\\_id=016393](http://www.comm-pass.com/Comm-PASS/Scripts/xdoc_view.idc?doc_id=016393)

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health’s Bureau of Substance Abuse Services (BSAS) and the Executive Office of Public Safety (EOPS), Safe and Drug Free Schools and Communities, have been directed, by the Massachusetts’ Inter-Agency Heroin and Other Opioids Initiative, to request proposals from qualified Massachusetts’ coalitions/collaboratives,

throughout the Commonwealth, to develop youth focused Comprehensive Environmental Prevention Plan, or to implement an existing, Comprehensive Environmental Implementation Plan. A comprehensive approach recognizes that heroin and other opioids use does not happen in isolation and may be part of pattern of substance abuse that includes other drugs, including alcohol. The lead agency for each coalition/collaborative must be a municipality.

The Massachusetts' Inter-Agency Heroin and Other Opioids Initiative in partnership with Massachusetts state agencies helps to facilitate cities, towns and regions, and coalitions/collaboratives to develop comprehensive environmental primary prevention strategies focused on heroin and other opioids and may additionally address other substance abuse issues related to heroin and other opioids. Potential community stakeholders include: local government, law enforcement, educators, parents, treatment and service providers and others.

The goal of the RFR is to fund:

- 1) Approximately fifteen (15) new or recently formed diverse coalitions/collaboratives for up to \$10,000 each to develop a youth focused plan to prevent heroin and other opioid use/abuse; and
- 2) Approximately five (5) experienced, diverse coalitions/collaboratives, for up to \$80,000 each that has been in existence for at least one year, have a youth focused heroin and other opioid use/abuse plan in place, or in the final/end stages of development to implement that plan.

**Application Deadline:** May 28, 2004

## **Private Foundations**

### **Verizon Wireless \$1,000 Grant Program to Help Victims of Domestic Violence in New England**

Verizon Wireless New England is launching a \$1,000 Grant Program to make funds available to not-for-profit organizations that work with victims of domestic violence. The funds donated are the direct result of consumers donating their no- longer-used cell phones to HopeLine, Verizon Wireless' national initiative that encourages consumers to recycle wireless products. Phones are refurbished and donated with airtime to domestic violence shelters, agencies and law enforcement groups to be used by women in emergency situations.

**Eligibility Requirements:** Any not-for-profit organization in Massachusetts that works in some capacity with victims of domestic violence may apply for a **\$1,000 grant once per quarter and as often as three times per year**. Grants will be awarded to support direct client services, raise public awareness about domestic violence or train staff and volunteers. To receive grant guidelines and an application, organizations must e-mail a request to [Hopeline.NewEngland@VerizonWireless.com](mailto:Hopeline.NewEngland@VerizonWireless.com) or call 781-932-1510 to have an application mailed to them.